

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1280
By Hargett

A RESOLUTION to congratulate the St. George's Day School Divas upon capturing First Place in the Destination ImagiNation Regional Competition and State Competition.

WHEREAS, it is an honor for the members of this General Assembly to specially recognize those students who through their exceptional academic and creative endeavors serve as a great source of pride for this State; and

WHEREAS, the Divas of St. George's Day School in Germantown, Tennessee, are one such group of remarkable students who have recently won First Place in the Destination ImagiNation Regional Competition and State Competition; and

WHEREAS, with more than 200,000 students competing annually, Destination ImagiNation is the world's largest creativity and problem-solving competition for students from around the world; and

WHEREAS, the Divas competed in the Destinations in Time challenge against students in the third through fifth grades and having claimed 1st place laurels in the State Competition, the Divas now have the opportunity to compete in the Destination ImagiNation Global Finals on May 26-29, 2004, at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding team consists of fourth grade students Mary Lauren Bobango, Hannah Buckmaster, Emily Walters, Anna Lewis Matson, Alexis Adams, and Mary Margaret Skudder; and

WHEREAS, under the inspirational leadership of team manager Lisa Bobango, the St. George's Day School Divas have achieved phenomenal success; and

WHEREAS, the exceptional display of hard work and dedication that these young ladies have exhibited is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED
THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE
CONCURRING, that we congratulate the Divas of St. George's Day School upon their 1st Place
finish at the ImagiNation Regional Competition and State Competition, and we wish them the
best of luck in the upcoming Global Competition and in all of their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared
for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.